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DSSD CENSUS 2000 PROCEDURES AND OPERATIONS MEMORANDUM SERIES #DD-3, ADDENDUM

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Subject: Addendum to Specifications for the Identification of Coverage Edit
                    Failures in Census 2000

I.   INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this memorandum is to document changes or additions to DSSD CENSUS 2000 PROCEDURES AND OPERATIONS MEMORANDUM SERIES #DD-3, dated May 18, 1999. That memorandum defined the coverage edit failures for Census 2000. Only the changes to the original memorandum are documented within this addendum. Refer any questions on this addendum to Susan Ammenhauser on 301-457- 4236, or via cc:mail.

II.   CHANGES TO SPECIFICATIONS

        A.   Section II.C - Universe

                1.   All mail return forms from Puerto Rico should be included in the universe
                        of records that are eligible for coverage edits. These form types are D-10
                        PR, D-10 PR (S), D-1 (UL) PR, D-1 (UL) S, D-2 (UL) PR, and D-2
                        (UL) S.

                2.   For response records that contain rosters and that fail coverage edits, only
                        pass the roster name variables when their corresponding RSTAT or
                        ARSTAT variables are equal to 1 (that is, they are valid roster names).

3. For response records that fail coverage edits, only pass data for persons records (RT=4) where their corresponding PSTAT or APSTAT variables are equal to 1 (that is, they are valid persons).

B. Section IV.A.4.b - Low Data Defined Persons

The very last sentence should read (VROS_POP > VDP_POP).

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